AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 34, 36 through 38, 44, and 46 through 48 as follows:

1 - 33. (Cancelled)

34. (Currently Amended) An image capture apparatus comprising: an image capture unit that captures images;

a setting unit adapted to set the number of pixels and a compression ratio individually according to a user request before said image capture unit captures the images; and

a control unit that controls the number of pixels of each of the <u>captured</u> images according to the number of pixels set by said setting unit, and a compression ratio applied to the <u>captured</u> images according to the compression ratio set by said setting unit.

35. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 34, further comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the number of pixels and the compression ratio individually set by said setting unit.

36. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 34, further comprising:

a recording unit that records the <u>captured</u> images controlled by the <u>said</u> control unit.

37. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 34, further comprising:

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit wirelessly.

38. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 34, further comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the number of pixels and the compression ratio individually set by said setting unit;

a recording unit that records the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit; and

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit wirelessly.

39 - 43. (Cancelled)

44. (Currently Amended) An image capture apparatus comprising: an image capture unit that captures images;

a setting unit adapted to set a frame rate, the number of pixels, and a compression ratio individually according to user requests <u>before said image capture unit captures the images</u>; and

a control unit that controls a frame rate applied to the <u>captured</u> images according to the frame rate set by said setting unit, the number of pixels of each of the <u>captured</u> images according to the number of pixels set by said setting unit, and a compression ratio applied to the <u>captured</u> images according to the compression ratio set by said setting unit.

45. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually set by said setting unit.

46. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a recording unit that records the <u>captured</u> images controlled by the <u>said</u> control unit.

47. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit wirelessly.

48. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 44, further comprising:

a display unit that displays information indicating the frame rate, the number of pixels, and the compression ratio individually set by said setting unit;

a recording unit that records the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit; and

a wireless transmitting unit that transmits the <u>captured</u> images controlled by <u>the said</u> control unit wirelessly.